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THIRD INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:


Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicant is enclosing an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) which lists the references cited in the enclosed European Search Report issued for corresponding Appln. No. EP 04 25 0029 dated August 12, 2004. U.S. Patent No. 5,087,074 is a family member of EP 0 406 885; U.S. Patent No. 6,095,592 is a family member of EP 0 908 372; and U.S. Patent No. 6,547,281 is a family member of EP 1 084 939.

It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

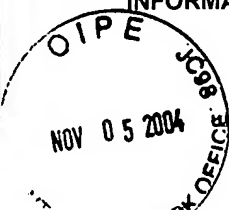
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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before receipt of the initial Office Action in the present application, and therefore it is believed that no fees are due under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97(i).

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OTHER INFORMATION (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	AP	Copy of European Search Report issued in connection with EP 04 25 0029, dated August 12, 2004
	AQ	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Publication No. 06329045, Publication Date 11/29/94 (one page)
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